

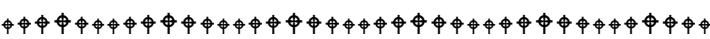
PRAYER REQUESTS

If you have a prayer request you would like included in the prayers during worship, there is a special prayer table set up in the back of the sanctuary for receiving written requests before the service begins.

THE WORSHIP OF GOD
A SERVICE OF CELEBRATION

PRELUDE
*WELCOME AND ANNOUNCEMENTS
*HYMN “Count Your Blessings”
*PSALM Psalm 119: 25-32
*PRAYER OF ADORATION
*SONGS OF PRAISE, GRACE, & LOVE “God Will Make A Way”
“Trading My Sorrows”
“You Are My All And All”

*GREETING ONE ANOTHER (Please greet those immediately around you.)
SPECIAL MUSIC Piano soloist: Lynn Wright
PRAYER FOR ILLUMINATION
SCRIPTURE LESSON Hebrews 11: 6-8
MEDITATION SONG “Change My Heart”
SERMON “Faith and Obedience = Blessings”
OFFERING OUR GIFTS AND OURSELVES TO GOD
SONG FOR SHARING “Answer “Yes” “
*DOXOLOGY (to the tune of # 2 in the hymnal)
*THE PEACE OF CHRIST
Leader: The Peace of Christ be with you.
People: And also with you.



ALL FIRST TIME VISITORS!
YOU ARE OUR GUESTS!
God loves a cheerful giver, but as our guest you are not obligated to give to the offering.

All worship expressions are welcome here!
Raise or clap your hands in praise, dance, shout “Amen,” or humbly meditate in subdued reflection.

The service is over an hour, so please sit or stand as needed.
♪♪♪ SONG SHEETS (WITH THE WORDS TO SONGS) FOR THIS SERVICE ARE AVAILABLE FROM THE USHERS. ♪♪♪
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VISION IN FOCUS

(Or What In Hus Is Going On?)

- Stenciling is complete in Polar PC and in Scripture Safari and painting is underway.
- Shepherding Ministry will be in place by July.
- Preparations for fall Alpha Course are in progress.
- The theater seats in “Movies on the Mount” have been installed.
- New adventures in advertising include sponsoring a Christian music countdown on Sunday’s from 9-11 AM on Mix 96.5 FM.
- Connecting with neighborhood happening through the South West Area Neighbors organization.
- Opportunities are opening for reaching Kirkwood College students and the Kirkwood area.
- See the Youth and Family Life News for more.

Don’t miss out! Be a part of what God is doing. For ideas on where you can be involved, pick up a Hus Church Ministry Guide and find your place of service!

REMEMBER THAT PASTOR JACKSON WILL BE ON
LEAVE FOR THE SUMMER.

A summer pastoral team has been formed to cover worship and pastoral visits while Will is gone.
Terry Van Wyk, Coulter Page, Doug Page, David Raim, Judy McLaskey, Marcia Funcke, and Bonnie Tichy will be responsible for worship, while Jean White and Dolores Miessner will cover Hospital and emergency visits.
Other ministers will be available for any situations that require ordained clergy.
Doug Page will be functioning as the acting head of staff for the summer.
Pastor Jackson will be using this time to visit friends and study in Croatia, do continuing education, hike the Grand Canyon, catch up on house repairs, spend time with family, and seek God’s guidance in prayer.
Everyone in the congregation is invited by Pastor Will to use this summer as a time to seek the Spirit’s guidance through prayer and studying God’s Word.



ANNOUNCEMENTS

July 3rd Youth Ministry Prayer 7:00 PM
July 4th Independence Day (Office closed)
July 5th Youth Group Movie Night 5:15 PM
July 6th HS Bible Study (Java Creek) 11:00 AM
July 7th Marion HS Bible Study
At Perkins (Collins Rd.) 11:00 AM
Prayer Warriors 12:30 PM
Promise Keepers - DSM, IA
Hus Racing League
Registration 9:30 AM
Racing begins 10:00 AM
Promise Keepers - DSM, IA
Worship Service 9:30 AM

✡ Transportation for July ✡
Contact Anita Koopman at 366-8157
(Please call her before Sunday)

Birthdays
July 10th Marlus Grimm



† † † Ongoing Prayers † † †
-Bill Faltis, Harold McGowan, Jim Cross, Ruby Klein, Roy Baker, Joe Cervený, Mac McLaskey, Deb & Allison (friends of the Jackson’s), and Regan Harper
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If you or your child, grandchild, friend or anyone you know has a special musical talent, we would love to have them share this with us at Hus during church this summer. If you know someone that plays an instrument or sings and would like to do a solo, please contact Doug Page (377-0246) to reserve a date to perform at Hus church.

YOUTH AND FAMILY LIFE NEWS

- ✚ **Youth group:** Youth Group on June 28th at 5:45 PM. The next movie night is July 5th starting at 5 PM. Join us for popcorn, pop, and a movie.
- ✚ **The 217th General Assembly** adjourned June 22nd in Birmingham, Alabama and Terry was there serving as an Elder Commissioner. Terry kept a blog while there. Read what he saw and heard at: <http://www.217GA.blogspot.com/>
- ✚ **The next Crave** is tentatively scheduled for September 20th from 6:30 to 8:30 PM.
- ✚ **HS Bible studies:** The Thursday and Friday HS Bible studies are continuing through the summer. The Thursday study is at Java Creek at 11 AM. The Friday study is at 11 AM at Perkin's on Collins Road. Blogs have been started for each study. Hus HS Bible study: <http://hushsbiblestudy.blogspot.com/>, and the Marion HS study is at: <http://marionhs.blogspot.com/>
- ✚ **Operation Christmas Child:** On July 30th, the next BOOM Sunday, we will be kicking off Operation Christmas Child 2006. Please start bringing in shoeboxes for this year.
- ✚ **Youth ministry in Cedar Rapids.** Prayers are being answered. The youth ministry at Hus Church has a unique opportunity to be a part of an outreach to the Kirkwood students beginning August 1st. Please continue to pray for this ministry as we continue to seek God's guidance on how this will develop. Please help us in discerning God's will by praying for this unique opportunity.
- ✚ **Team I-Themba** is coming Saturday Oct. 21st. Team i-Themba is a multi-cultural group of young performers sponsored by South Africa Youth for Christ, hosted by the Central States Region of YFC/USA. The team energetically presents a message of hope and reconciliation through vibrant dance, drama and music. Their interactive production is geared towards young people and deals with topics such as violence, drugs, AIDS and racism. Their educational scripts draw from the South African history of apartheid and broach today's hard-to-deal-with issues.
- ✚ **A Fall Youth Retreat** is being planned with several other youth groups in Cedar Rapids for the last weekend of October at Camp Wyoming. The cost for the weekend will be about \$60.
- ✚ **February 23-24, 2007:** This is the date that we will again partner with Hope Lutheran for World Vision's 30 Hour Famine.

Questions? Want more information? Please call or email Terry or check out our blog at <http://www.180yfl.blogspot.com/>

Happy is the nation whose God is the Lord, the people he chose for his very own.

- Psalm 33:12

"This year marks 230 years since our Founding Fathers gave us our National Birth Certificate. We continue to be the longest on-going Constitutional Republic in the history of the world. Blessings such as these are not by chance or accidental. They are blessings of God."

- David Barton

"Freedom has its life in the hearts, the actions, the spirit of men and so it must be daily earned and refreshed - else like a flower cut from its life-giving roots, it will wither and die."

- Dwight D. Eisenhower

"It is easy to take liberty for granted, when you have never had it taken away from you."

- Dick Cheney

"Thank the Lord because he is good. His love continues forever."

- Psalm 107:1 (NCV)

"May we experience a revolution of dependence on the God who has blessed us so richly."

- Unknown

"Examine and see how good the Lord is. Happy is the person who trusts him."

- Psalm 34:8 (NCV)

"America's strength and prosperity are testaments to the enduring power of our founding ideals, among them, that all men are created equal, and that liberty is God's gift to humanity, the birthright of every individual. The American creed remains powerful today because it represents the universal hope of all mankind."

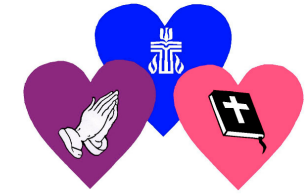
- George W. Bush

"This, then, is the state of the union: free and restless, growing and full of hope. So it was in the beginning. So it shall always be, while God is willing, and we are strong enough to keep the faith."

- Lyndon B. Johnson

My God! How little do my countrymen know what precious blessings they are in possession of, and which no other people on earth enjoy!

- Thomas Jefferson



HUS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

SHINING THE LIGHT!

Worship Service – 9:30 AM, July 2, 2006



All Members, Ministers; Ruth Halterman, Organist; Rev. Will Jackson, Pastor;
Lisa McAtee, Secretary; Doug Page, Worship Leader and Music Director;
Terry Van Wyk, Youth and Family Life Minister.

THE HUS CHURCH PURPOSE

**Inviting Seekers To Become Believers
Equipping Believers To Become Disciples
And Inspiring Disciples To Become Servants**

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